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Docket: JP919980216US1 (12924)

For: DATA CHARGING SYSTEM,  
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CHARGING APPARATUS, AND  
DATA CHARGING METHOD

Dated: January 26, 2004

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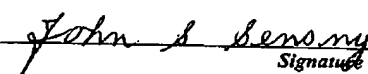
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